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Re Pond Water Management IM/IRA/DD Schedule

Dear Mr Schassburger

The Colorado Department of Health, Hazardous Materials and Waste Management Division (the Division), and EPA have reviewed the schedule for the Pond Water Management Interim Measure/Interim Remedial Action/Decision Document (IM/IRA/DD) submitted by DOE on August 17, 1993. As with other IM/IRA/DDs, there are four principal milestones that will be incorporated into the IAG which are shown below. If you have any questions regarding these matters, please call Joe Schieffelin (CDH) at 692-3356 or Martin Hestmark (EPA) at 294-1134.

Based on our review, we believe that tasks 25 through 34 on the schedule are not necessary. Therefore, the date for task 35 (DOE/RFO transmit document to agencies) and task 24 (IM/IRA complete) should be the same 11/22/93. The first milestone can be defined in our draft and will be incorporated into the IAG as follows:

	<u>Milestones</u>	<u>Due Date</u>
1	Submit Draft IM/IRA Decision Document	11/22/93
2	Submit Draft Responsiveness Summary (RS)	
3	Submit Final RS and IM/IRA/DD	
4	Release Final RS and IM/IRA/DD to public	

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The remaining three milestones will be defined when a public comment period can be coordinated with the public comment period for the draft NPDES Permit for the Rocky Flats Plant

Sincerely,



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